

House Resolution No.

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives always welcome the opportunity to acknowledge milestone events in the lives and careers of Show-Me State residents who have devoted an exceptional amount of time and energy to the field of agriculture through their efforts as farmers; and

Whereas, Jim Wilson has attained considerable distinction as a farmer who began his chosen career in 1970; and

Whereas, Jim Wilson will be a guest of honor at the Shelbina Farmers Day celebration which is sponsored by the Shelbina Chamber of Commerce; and

Whereas, according to Jim Wilson, the best part of farming is its independence, qualities as a place to raise a family, and source of satisfaction when one obtains good crops and livestock with God's help; and

Whereas, Jim Wilson has been an active member of the Shelbina community through his association with the Lutheran Church, Civic Club, North Selby School Board, Extension Council, Greenly Center Advisory Board, MFA Advisory Board, and Farm Bureau, and service as a Young Farmers State Tour host; and

Whereas, Jim Wilson is the recipient of State Fair Farm Family recognition, a North Shelby honorary Chapter FFA Degree, Missouri Farm Management recognition, and Extension Leaders Honor Roll accolades; and

Whereas, Jim Wilson suggests that a person who wants to enter agriculture as a career should get an education, be open minded to new technology, be prepared for hardships as well as success, have an understanding wife, find a good lender who comprehends farming, and enjoy what you are doing; and

Whereas, Jim Wilson is the beloved husband of Glenna; loving father of Mark and Susan Wilson, Brenda and Travis Nelson, and Amy Wilson; and the grandfather of Tanner Nelson, all of whom have wholeheartedly supported and encouraged his diverse endeavors as a farmer down through the years:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the long, productive, ongoing farming career of Jim Wilson and to convey to him this legislative body's heartiest congratulations upon receiving well-deserved accolades on Shelbina Farmers Day and our sincerest best wishes for continued personal and professional success for many more years to come; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution in honor of Jim Wilson.

Offered by _____
Representative Kathy L. Chinn
District No. 8

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution No. ____, adopted ____, 2005.

Rod Jetton, Speaker